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Applicant: DAVID BERGHASH

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ELECTION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

The following is in response to the Office Action of March 28, 2005. In that Office Action, the Examiner required Applicant to elect, pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 121, a single disclosed invention for prosecution on the merits.

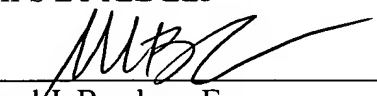
Applicant provisionally elects the invention denoted by the Examiner in paragraph I (Claims 1-10 and 13-22) on page 2 of the Office Action.

This election is believed to be fully responsive to the Office Action of March 28, 2005. Accordingly, an action on the merits is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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